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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATIO STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(b)) -	N) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY INDEPENDENT INVENTOR
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I have not assigned, granted, conveyed or licensed and am under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey or license, any rights in the invention to any person who could not be classified as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern or organization to which I have assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed or am under an obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license any rights in the invention is listed below:

- () no such person, concern, or organization
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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the owner of the small business concern identified below:		
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I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.12, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.		
I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention, entitled <a href="PRE-CONDITIONING AGAINST CELL DEATH">PRE-CONDITIONING AGAINST CELL DEATH</a> by inventor(s) <a href="HAMET, Pavel, TREMBLAY">HAMET, Pavel, TREMBLAY</a> , Johanne, DESROSIER, Christine and CHENG, Huifang described in		
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If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights in the invention is listed below and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor(s), who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e). \*NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities (37 CFR 1.27).

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and that all statements made on information that these statements were made will like so made are punishable by fine 18 of the United States Code, and the states code.	tements made herein of my own knowledge are true rmation and belief are believed to be true; and furthe th the knowledge that willful false statements and the or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title hat such willful false statements may jeopardize the it issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified
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## STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS - (37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(d)).. NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

I hereby state that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

NAME OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION CENTRE DE RECHERCHE DU CENTRE HOSPITALIER DE L'UNIVERSITE DE MONTREAL (CHUM)

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TYPE OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION:

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I hereby state that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a nonprofit organization as defined in 37 CFR 19(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office regarding the invention described in

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I hereby state that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the nonprofit organization regarding the above identified invention. If the rights held by the nonprofit organization are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small entities and that no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent invention under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:

# VASOGEN IRELAND LIMITED CENTRE DE RECHERCHE DU CENTRE HOSPITALIER DE L'UNIVERSITE DE MONTREAL (CHUM)

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### DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY



As a below named inventor, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names,

We believe we are the original, first and sole inventors (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled <a href="PRECONDITIONING CELLS AGAINST CELL DEATH">PRECONDITIONING CELLS AGAINST CELL DEATH</a>, the specification of which

OHE I	Check one)	is attached hereto.
[X] was filed on <u>January 11, 2000</u> as Application Serial No. <u>09/480,260</u> and was amended on (if applicable)	٠٠	Application Serial No. <u>09/480,260</u> and was amended on

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the aboveidentified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, S.1.56.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, S.119(a)(b), of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Appl	ication(s)	•	Priori <u>Claim</u>	•
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	[] Yes	[] No
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, S.120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, S.112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, S. 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application.

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